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Letter dated 22 November 2006 from the President of the Security Council addressed to the Secretary-General

The members of the Security Council have carefully considered your letter regarding the request of the Government of Lebanon for technical assistance from the International Independent Investigation Commission (IIIC) in the investigation of the murder of Industry Minister Pierre Gemayel (S/2006/914). Determined to support the Government of Lebanon in its efforts to bring to justice the perpetrators, organizers, and sponsors of the assassination of Pierre Gemayel and other assassinations (S/PRST/2006/46), they refer to resolutions 1644 (2005) and 1686 (2006), and therefore invite the Commission to extend its technical assistance as appropriate to the Lebanese authorities in this investigation and invite the Secretary-General to so inform the Government of Lebanon and the President of the IIIC.

(*Signed*) Jorge **Voto-Bernales**
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